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MEMORANDUM FOR : Project Director

SUBJECT : Request for Teletype Service Between Westinghouse Air Arm, Friendship Airport, and Lockheed Aircraft, Burbank, California.

1. At a 7 February 1956 meeting between [Redacted] and the undersigned [Redacted] stated his requirement for a secure TWX communication facility between Westinghouse, Lockheed, and Watertown. Since a crypto-link already exists between Burbank and Watertown, Westinghouse messages would be relayed via Lockheed.

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2. The amount of communication between Westinghouse and Lockheed during the period of equipment development and installation will be quite sizeable and of a classified nature part of the time. Communication to Watertown during the period of equipment checkout and flight test will also be quite frequent and highly classified.

3. On the basis of the above requirements, the undersigned feels that [Redacted] request is bona fide and that fulfilling it will expedite the handling of installation and field test problems relating to Westinghouse equipment.

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4. If this request is approved Westinghouse will provide a secure area for the installation. The Project, through the Office of Communications, will provide the required equipment and a commo cryptographer for duty at Westinghouse.

5. It is further suggested that, concurrent with action on this request, the Project Office of Communications and Office of Security be notified of any action to be taken.

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